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Dear Sir:

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## In the Specification:

Please replace the first full paragraph beginning at page 1, line 5 with the following rewritten paragraph:

- This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/215,488 entitled "Integrated Bookstore," filed on June 30, 2000 and is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent